



New England Region Conveys Historic Maine Lighthouse

New England Region Acting Regional Administrator Glenn Rotondo took part in a deed signing ceremony for the historic Whaleback Ledge Light in York, Maine. As part of an event announcing Maine's first Open Lighthouse Day, officials from Maine and the U.S. Coast Guard joined Rotondo on June 30 in presenting the signed deed to the light's new steward, the American Lighthouse Foundation. While the Coast Guard will maintain the light as a navigational aid, the foundation plans to restore the historic tower and create an educational community outreach program. Sara Massarello, realty specialist in the Real Property Disposal and Utilization Division, was the point of contact for this conveyance, completed in accordance with the National Historic Lighthouse Preservation Act. Maine's Open Lighthouse Day will be Sept. 12.